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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to examiner's action mailed March 30, 1999, be extended for two months to and including August 30, 1999.

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Respectfully submitted,

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